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BRITISH SHIP PIRATED

B. & S. "SHASI"

OUTRAGE OUTSIDE HANKOW

AUDACIOUS ATTACK

American Passenger's Thigh Shattered.

CHINESE SEAMAN KILLED; ANOTHER WOUNDED

The Yangtze River, just outside of Hankow, has been the scene of the latest piracy. The victim this time was the China Navigation Co.'s s.s. "Shasi," Capt. A. Cook.

The attack stands out by reason of the audacity of the desperadoes, who got to work almost before the vessel had time to get clear of the Bund fronting the foreign Concessions.

Three casualties are reported;

Mr. Henry Henvis, American, assistant in the firm of Gale and Co., Hankow, had a thigh shattered by a revolver bullet;

One Chinese member of the crew was shot dead;

Another Chinese seaman was wounded.

The Captain and Chief Officer—the only foreign officers—were confined to their cabins at the outset of the attack but were not, apparently, molested. The skipper's wife and two children were aboard the vessel. There was no time, apparently, to offer resistance.

The other three foreign passengers, a French Naval officer and a Mr. and Mrs. Pepper (Americans) escaped unscathed.

Loot is estimated at between fifteen and twenty thousand dollars.

The pirates complained bitterly at the smallness of the haul.

Mr. Henvis is said to be progressing favourably in hospital at Hankow, to which port the "Shasi" returned after the pirates made off in a launch with their booty.

A BITTER COMPLAINT

Hankow, To-day.

Reuter's account of the outrage, received from Hankow this morning, is as follows:

The China Navigation Company's "Shasi" (Messrs. Butterfield and Swire, agents), which left here at 9.30 yesterday evening, was pirated at 10.10 p.m. just below the Seven Mile Creek, by pirates to the number of 32 who were travelling as passengers.

The raiders hardly gave the vessel time to get clear of the foreign Concessions before holding up passengers and crew at the point of pistols.

Capt. And Family

At the time of the outbreak the skipper, Capt. Archibald Cook, was on the bridge with the pilot and quartermaster. Shots were heard below and immediately a number of desperadoes rushed the bridge and overpowered the captain, whom they confined in his cabin.

Capt. Cook's wife and two children, who were accompanying him in the vessel, were also bundled into the cabin.

Ship Drifts

The "Shasi," whilst the pirates were engaged in their work of pillage, drifted down the Yangtze with nobody in control. Eventually the pirates released the skipper for sufficient time to allow him to give instructions for the dropping of the anchor.

The first officer, who was the only other foreign officer, was also overpowered and had no time to offer any resistance, while the cabin of the four foreign passengers—a French Naval officer, Mr. and Mrs. Pepper and Mr. Henry Henvis (the latter three all American subjects)—were simultaneously rushed.

American Shot At

The Naval officer and the Pepper, escaped unhurt, but Mr. Henvis, on opening his cabin door, was fired at at point-blank range, a bullet shattering a thigh bone.

In addition a Chinese member of the crew was killed by the pirates while another Chinese seaman was wounded.

Shortly after these ghastly happenings a strange launch came alongside the stationary vessel and the pirates transferred the loot into it.

NAVAL MOVES

BRITISH SHIPS RETURN TO HONG KONG

CRUISERS IN NORTH

H.M.S. "Marzial," a sloop, and the Naval tug "St. Breock," returned to Hong Kong on Saturday. H.M.S. "Thracian" of the 8th Destroyer Flotilla, returned yesterday. H.M.S. "Cornflower," another sloop, will probably arrive here tomorrow from Shanghai.

H.M.S. "Cornwall" arrived at Shanghai yesterday from Wei-hai-wei. She is one of the five county-class cruisers of 10,000 tons each. H.M.S. "Berwick," another of the class, arrived at Tsingtao yesterday from Wei-hai-wei.

2ND ROYAL SCOTS

WELCOMED ON ARRIVAL IN NORTH CHINA

1ST EAST YORKS COMING

Tientsin, Yesterday. The 2nd Battalion, the Royal Scots (the Royal Regiment), arrived here this afternoon.

A large crowd turned out to welcome the troops as they marched from the station to their quarters. The 1st Battalion, East Yorkshire Regiment left for Hong Kong this morning.—Reuter.

[Note: The 2nd Royal Scots, with families, have been transferred from Egypt for two years' service in the North China Command. They passed through Hong Kong on the troophip "Dorsetshire" on Oct. 24. The 1st Batt. East Yorkshires are bound for India.]

ROSE-TERRACE

LADY'S HANDBAG SNATCHED NEARBY

"A FAVOURITE SPOT"

Remarking that the defendant was a trained hand at snatching bags, Mr. F. H. Loseby, prosecuting in a case at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, said that it appeared to him that Rose-terrace was a favourite spot for this form of theft.

A Chinese youth, unemployed, appeared before Mr. W. Schofield on a charge of snatching a rattan handbag and a leather purse containing \$8 from Mrs. C. C. Telfer, of No. 6 Minden-avenue, while she was walking along Nathan-road near Rose-terrace on Saturday.

Mr. Loseby said that his client was walking at about 7 o'clock when, on the pavement opposite Rose-terrace, defendant snatched the bag from her hand. He ran around Rose-terrace to the vacant fields behind and thus into Middle-road.

Mrs. Telfer followed and her cries attracted the attention of a Chinese postman who ran after defendant and caught him.

Captor Praised

Mr. Loseby said that the bag was found at the feet of defendant; as, evidently, when he thought the game was up, he dropped it to pretend innocence.

Defendant pleaded guilty. He said that he had been misled by a friend who had said that he would do the snatching and then pass the purse into defendant's keeping.

To the postman who had affected the capture of defendant, Mr. Schofield said: "I wish to congratulate you very much on your public spirited action."

Defendant, who was convicted only ten days ago when he was birched, was sentenced to four months' imprisonment and twelve strokes.

RAIL FATALITY

CHINESE WOMAN FOUND BADLY INJURED

The body of a Chinese woman, aged about 40 years, who had apparently been killed by being struck by a train, was yesterday afternoon picked up on the railway near the No. 8 bridge. The unfortunate woman was terribly injured, her left arm, back, and skull being broken.

The police removed the remains to the Kowloon mortuary.

MISS TOBIN FREE

HER RELEASE FROM BANDITS EFFECTED

"RETURNED UNHARMED"

Wuchow, Yesterday.

Miss Tobin, of the Church Missionary Society, who was captured by bandits, has been released and has arrived at Chaoping unharmed.—Our own correspondent.

[Note: Miss Tobin and Miss Watkins were captured on Sept. 22 while going from Wuchow up the Kwei-kiang (Cassis River) to Kwei-lin. Miss Watkins was released forthwith. Chaoping (spelt Chuping in Cantonese) is about 100 miles north of Wuchow, or less than half way to Kwei-lin. The missionaries were followed by bandits in boats. The district magistrate has been in negotiation with the bandits for some time before effecting the release, presumably on payment. British Naval representatives went to Wuchow to investigate and Bishop Holden and Kwangsi and Hunan rushed to Chaoping to help.]

MANCHURIA'S NEW RAILWAYS

RUSH WORK

LONG PERIOD OF PEACE IS FORESHADOWED

S.M.R. ENTERPRISE

Several new Chinese railways in Manchuria are being rushed to completion, under contracts with the Japanese South Manchuria Railway Co. It is reported in American circles. Thousands of miles of virgin territory are being opened up, and Chinese officials predict that in a few years Manchuria will be more prosperous than any other part of China. It is now regarded as certain that peace will be maintained in Manchuria for years, and agriculture and industry will be left alone to develop.

Expert's Views

Says J. B. Powell of Shanghai:—"The National Government Overseas Affairs Committee has ordered the detention of a Spanish steamer lying at Taku Bar off Tientsin, on the grounds that the steamer was engaged in the transportation of Chinese labourers for colonization purposes in the Spanish colony located on the west coast of Africa, south of Morocco."

Govt. Stalling

The official statement of the Nationalist Government is as follows:

"Since such action concerns the welfare of the Chinese people the Government does not intend to permit such transportation of Chinese labourers in the future unless it is specially sanctioned by the Minister of the Interior and Foreign Affairs."

In addition to this action, the Government ordered an investigation of conditions of the Chinese labourers in the Dutch East Indies, the matter having been precipitated by the recent action of the Dutch colonial authorities in deporting several members of the Kuomintang from Java and Sumatra, adds M. Powell.

Hong Kong's Interest

In 1927, 285,593 emigrants left Hong Kong for various destinations. Of these, 158,235 were carried in British ships and 147,830 in foreign ships. 181,100 returning emigrants were reported to have been brought to Hong Kong from the several places to which they had gone either from Hong Kong or from adjacent Coast ports. Of this number, 100,889 arrived in British ships and 80,211 in foreign ships. The following is a table of Chinese emigrants passing through Hong Kong:

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CHINESE COLONISTS HELD

GOVT. ACTION

SHIPBOARD OF EMIGRANTS TURNED BACK AT TAKU

LOCAL INTEREST

Action by the Government of China, bearing largely on Chinese emigration has been reported to the effect that "such transportation of Chinese labourers" will not be allowed except under special sanction.

Hong Kong is interested in the carriage of Chinese emigrants, mostly to Malaya.

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OFF TO SAHARA DESERT

CAMPBELL'S QUEST

HOPES TO CAPTURE WORLD'S MOTOR SPEED RECORD

SEGRAVE ALSO BUSY

London, Yesterday. Captain Malcolm Campbell left Croydon aerodrome, in a light aeroplane yesterday, for the Sahara to discover a 12-mile stretch of hard level sand suitable for an attempt to beat the world's motor car speed record, in his Campbell Napier car.

He understands that such a stretch exists in the middle of the Sahara and believes that if he can obtain a sufficient run, before entering the measured course, he can capture a record. This is held by England. Meanwhile, Major Segrave is also busy with plans for establishing a fresh speed record—British Wireless Service.

CAMPAGNE EXPENSES

Washington, Nov. 3. The Republican and Democratic parties together have received nearly \$9,000,000 to further the causes of Hoover and Smith for the Presidency. The Republican national committee reports receipts of \$4,912,000 and expenses of \$4,744,000, while the Democratic party's receipts are \$4,089,000 and expenses \$4,008,000.

Experts, however, declare that this is only a fraction of the total throughout the country not only on behalf of the candidates but for all election purposes.

THE WOMEN'S VOTE

A notable fact of the presidential campaign is that not for many years have the opposing parties talked so little of foreign affairs and so much of home ones. Public discussion has concentrated on internal problems.

IT IS CONSIDERED THAT TWO THINGS

WEIGH HEAVILY WITH WOMEN VOTERS, FIRSTLY PROHIBITION AND Secondly Mrs. Smith. Many women pay tribute to her personal qualities, but do not consider that she is worthy to represent the country whose women attach much more importance than men to dress, speech and social amenities.

FINAL SPEECHES

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NOTICES.

MACAO CHARITY AND
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24th October, 1928.

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MEETING will be held (weather
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sent, including H.E. the Officer
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W. T. Southorn, C.M.G., and Mrs.

Southorn.

A speech of welcome by Mr.
Lung Ting-tong, Chairman of the R. T. Boffa, W. R. Brown, Rev.

Association, opened the proceed-

T. A. Broadfoot, C. D. Clarke,
Charles Cocks, Jr., Canadian
American Nav. Co., Mrs. H.

Christie, Chino-American Ind. Dev.

performed "The Postasters of Is-

land," a comedy in verse by W. T. Cherry, Miss J. M. Dean,

Clifford Bax, which the ladies play-

ed very well, considering the diffi-

culty of speaking in verse.

After the interval, the men
undergraduates played "My Turn
Next," a farce by Thomas Williams.

The performance was a great suc-

cess and everyone taking part

H. S. Lo, R. Michaud, Miss E.

Macnamara, Mrs. H. S. Mok,

Mackenzie & Co., Rev. A. G.

to Mrs. A. M. Bowes-Smith for
songs rendered during the even-

ing, to Mr. R. S. W. Paterson, M.C.,
for painting the scenery and de-

corations, Mr. Huang Tsun-ming

for the proscenium and Mr. Lam

N. Mayer, L. N. Smith, J. Scott,

Tung, B.A. for the synopses of the

W. S. Shakespeare, S.S. "Kitawa."

plays in Chinese. Above all, K. W. Tribe, Mr. and Mrs. D. F.

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TAMEA MARU Sunday, 11th November.

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ANDES MARU Monday, 10th December.

RIO DE JANEIRO, SANTOS & BUENOS AIRES—Via Saigon, Singapore,
Colombo, Durban & Cape Town.

SANTOS MARU Friday, 23rd November.

BOMBAY—Via Singapore & Colombo. Saturday, 3rd November.

HONOLULU MARU Monday, 18th November.

SUMATRA MARU Monday, 12th November.

DURBAN, DELAGOA BAY, BEIRA, DAR-ES-SALAAM, ZANZIBAR AND
MOMBASA—Via Singapore and Colombo. Saturday, 1st December.

CANADA MARU Sunday, 18th November.

CALCUTTA—Via Singapore, Penang & Rangoon. Saturday, 1st December.

KASASU MARU Friday, 18th November.

VICTORIA, SEATTLE, TACOMA & VANCOUVER—Via Shanghai &
Japan ports.

PARIS MARU (from Shanghai) Monday, 5th November.

MELBOURNE—Via Manila, Brisbane & Sydney. Thursday, 8th November.

HIMALAYA MARU Thursday, 8th November.

BANGKOK—Via Saigon. Friday, 9th November.

TAIWAN MARU Friday, 9th November.

HAIPHONG—Via Hainan & Pakhoi. Thursday, 8th November 10 a.m.

MINDANAO MARU Thursday, 15th Dec. 10 a.m.

NEW YORK—Via Japan ports, San Francisco & Panama. Middle of November.

HAGUE MARU Sunday, 18th November.

JAPAN PORTS

ALTAI MARU Saturday, 24th November.

TACOMA MARU Tuesday, 27th November.

SANUKI MARU Sunday, 11th November 10 a.m.

KEELUNG—Via SWATOW & AMOY Thursday, 15th Dec. 10 a.m.

CANTON MARU Sunday, 11th November 10 a.m.

TAKAO—Via SWATOW & AMOY Thursday, 15th Dec. 10 a.m.

DELI MARU Tuesday, 27th November.

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QUEEN'S REGT.'S STRENGTH IN THE LEAGUE

BORDERER'S NEW CENTRE

(By "Rover")

Five victories in succession at pride of place in the table is the record of the senior team of the 1st Batt. the Queen's Royal Regiment in the H.K. Amateur Football League. On Saturday, the XI beat the H.K. Football Club by 6-1, Caldicutt, the left-winger, getting through thrice.

Introduction of a brainy new centre-forward, Reeves, by the 2nd Batt. King's Own Scottish Borderers, was fortunate. The Borderers administered the first defeat on South China and Reeves scored the only goal of the match.

A. Gosano got two goals for Recreio who defeated Royal Navy by 4-2. Kowloon lost to the Artillery, by the odd goal in five, the Kowloon defenders putting in the last goal for the R.A. Results at a glance:

Division I

S. China A.A. 0 2nd Batt. K.O.S.B. Regt. 1
Royal Artillery 3 Kowloon F.C. 2
Hong Kong F.C. 1 1st Batt. Queen's Royal Regt. 6
Club de Recreio 4 Royal Navy 2

Division II

University 1 2nd Batt. K.O.S.B. Regt. 4
Club de Recreio 0 1st Batt. Queen's Royal Regt. 4

Royal Artillery 0 Royal Air Force 7
St. Joseph's Col. 1 Small Units 1
Eastern 1 S. China "A" 1

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K.F.C. Reserves 3 Royal Army Medical Corps 0

Division I

SOUTH CHINA v. K.O.S.B.'S

At Caroline Hill, before a large attendance, the 2nd Batt. K.O.S.B. Regt., by a snappy goal in the first few moments, secured two points. The introduction by the Borderers of Reeves, their new comer at centre-forward, was a success. He secured the winning goal and generally showed fine dash and leadership. Both teams were at full strength:

South China—Pau Ka-ping; Li Tin-sang, Lau Kau; Leung In Chan, Pang Wa-hing, Leung Wing-chiu; Lai Tin-choy, Fung King-cheung, Leung Wing-tak, Lau Mau, Ip Pak-wa.

2nd Batt. K.O.S.B. Regt.—McDougal; Harris, Martin, Everest, Davey, Skiggs; Campbell, Stock, Reeves, McGlinchey, Alexander.

Referee:—Staff-Sergt. Gilbert, R.A.M.C.

The Borderers kicked off and immediately attacked. The first incident of note was a great shot by Skiggs which Pau Ka-ping saved well.

The Winning Goal.

The Borderers were in aggressive mood. Taking advantage of the wind, Reeves scored a snappy goal high up in the corner.

Pau Ka-ping saved again, just after, in fine style.

South China dashed to the other end and Lau Mau put just outside.

Borderers' halves were playing finely and upset South China's combination.

Reeves was nearly through again, Pau Ka-ping saving at the expense of a corner.

Ip Pak-wa put over when well placed and the Kowloon defence was none too steady under pressure.

Oliver made a beautiful opening for Eagles and the latter equalised with a great drive which gave Angus no chance. Angus was constantly in action, and showed his best form throughout.

Clemo forced a corner for Kowloon, but Miles put wide when nicely placed and, a moment later, Pile missed a great chance by overrunning the ball.

At the other end Madocks drove hard into Angus' hands and the goalie made a fine clearance.

Half-time came with the score one-all.

R.A. Behind Again

R.A. were the first to attack after the interval and Hill shot well from long range.

Sims then sent Spary away down the centre and the latter ran on and missed with only Fletcher to beat.

A moment later Pile obtained possession from Clemo and ran in to beat Fletcher with a cross shot.

Kowloon were playing the better football at this stage, but the shooting was poor.

McKeville brought off a great tackle when Woods was going through, and passed to Cornwall, whose centre was wasted.

Spary led his forwards well but received indifferent support.

Deciding Goal

After 20 minutes, Madocks dribbled past Baldwin and equalised with a fine shot.

A ding-dong struggle ensued and both goals had narrow shaves.

Towards the end the Kowloon

defence cracked under pressure and Baldwin had the misfortune

to put the ball into his own goal in an attempt to pass back to Campbell.

Then Borderers were hard pressed, Martin saving well with South China going strong.

A great run through by Stock was splendidly cleared by Pau Ka-ping, and South China's goalie was having a warm time.

Value of Reeves

South China never gave up trying but Leung Wing-tak was painfully slow at centre-forward and Borderers were nearly through again in a great effort by Reeves, who was a favourite on the stand side.

Up and down play was the order, the match being finely contested. South China came very near on several occasions, but Borderers' defence held—a fine match ending in a win for the Battalion by a goal to nil.

The value of an early goal was clearly demonstrated and Reeves' goal won the match. The Battalion was well served by a strong full-back line, Everest, Davey and Skiggs playing well. Martin played a great full-back game. Reeves livened the forwards and will be a very useful man; Stock and Alexander were very bright in a good line where all did well.

Hard Knocks

South China played very pluckily. Even when one goal down, they played brightly, but those pretty movements forward were not allowed to develop, by the opposing halves who were in great form. Pau Ka-ping kept a great goal and Li Tin-sang was a great worker at right back. The half-backs were not convincing; Pang Wa-hing being the best at pivot, his feeding being more useful than that of the wingers who had a great task with the speedy Borderers' forwards. Fung King-cheung was always dangerous, but was not supported; Leung Wing-tak at centre-forward being slow; but Ip Pak-wa and Lau Mau, on the left, were very bright at times and danger always threatened from this wing.

The Borderers deserved their win in a fine sporting match with plenty of hard knocks given and taken and the large crowd were content to stop at the end although the locals were down.

KOWLOON v. R.A.

Kowloon sustained another home defeat, being a trifle unlucky to drop both points, for they had quite as much of the play as the Gunners, and had the forwards finished off their efforts with accurate shooting the result might have been different.

Queen's came again. Cantor scored and then Caldicutt brought his total of the match up to three, the Queen's running out easy winners by six goals to one.

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Captain A. C. Thomson, of the "Shasi," has gone master, "Kiating."

Captain A. Cook, of the "Nanning," has gone master, "Shasi."

Captain J. S. de Wolf, from reserve, has gone master, "Nanning."

Mr. J. H. Davey, second officer, "Hsin Peking," has resigned.

Mr. J. W. Dickinson, from reserve, has gone chief officer, "Kanchow."

Mr. B. Stevenson, from reserve, has gone extra second officer, "Hsin Peking."

Mr. A. M. Buchanan, second officer, "Tungchow," has gone second officer, "Hupchow."

Mr. G. R. Torrible, extra second officer, "Hsin Peking," has gone second officer, "Tungchow."

Mr. E. H. Muton, chief officer, "Shengking," is on reserve.

Mr. A. Oliver, chief officer, "Kuangchow," has gone second officer, "Shengking."

Mr. S. E. Ries, from reserve, has gone second officer, "Luchow."

Mr. J. C. Bartley, second officer, "Kuangchow," has gone second officer, "Kuangchow."

Captain T. Johnstone, of the "Anking," has gone master, "Kuangchow."

Captain R. Ritchie, of the "Kuangchow," has gone master, "Anking."

Captain R. T. Stephens, from reserve, has gone master, "Kuangchow."

Mr. J. H. McLaren, second officer, "Antung," has gone acting chief officer, "Cheking."

Mr. L. G. Potter, second officer, "Kuangchow," has resigned.

Mr. E. S. Condell, second officer, "Luchow," has gone second officer, "Anking."

Mr. F. J. Griffiths, from Home leave, has gone chief officer, "Kuangchow."

Mr. J. R. Nisbet, chief officer, "Kuangchow," is on reserve.

Mr. F. E. B. Steer, second officer, C. N. Co., has resigned.

Mr. F. J. Tonry, second engineer officer, "Shansi," has gone second engineer officer, "Kuangchow."

Mr. J. McAulay, second engineer officer, "Kuangchow," has gone second engineer officer, "Shansi."

Mr. R. Trathen, from Home, has gone extra third engineer officer, "Kuangchow."

Mr. P. H. Todd, from reserve, has gone second engineer officer, "Kanchow."

Mr. R. D. Gall, second engineer officer, "Kuangchow," has gone acting chief engineer officer, "Kuangchow."

Mr. W. Niblock, chief engineer officer, "Kingyuan," has gone chief engineer officer, "Kwangchow."

Mr. H. R. Stewart, extra third engineer officer, "Kingyuan," has gone extra third engineer officer, "Kwangchow."

Mr. C. Maberry, third engineer officer, "Wenchow," has gone third engineer officer, "Chenan."

Mr. J. Jamieson, third engineer officer, "Chenan," has resigned.

Mr. W. Curran, second engineer officer, "Chenan," has gone second engineer officer, "Ningpo."

Mr. W. Paxton, second engineer officer, "Ningpo," has gone second engineer officer, "Chenan."

Mr. J. Barton, from shore employment, has gone acting third engineer officer, "Shengking."

Mr. A. MacDonald, from Home, has gone acting third engineer officer, "Ngankin."

Mr. A. C. Morice, acting second engineer officer, "Luchow," has gone extra second engineer officer, "Kiating."

Mr. W. W. M. Chapman, extra second engineer officer, "Fengding," has gone second engineer officer, "Luchow."

Mr. T. Hughes, from reserve, has gone chief officer, "Fooshing."

Mr. R. McAlpine, third officer, "Chingshing," has gone third officer, "Nansang."

Mr. E. L. Starling, second officer, "Fuovo," has gone acting chief officer, "Suiwo."

Mr. A. Sinclair, chief officer, "Suiwo," is on reserve.

Mr. J. McDonald, third engineer officer, "Yusang," has gone third engineer officer, "Tingsang."

Mr. J. Powles, third engineer officer, "Tingang," has gone third engineer officer, "Yusang."

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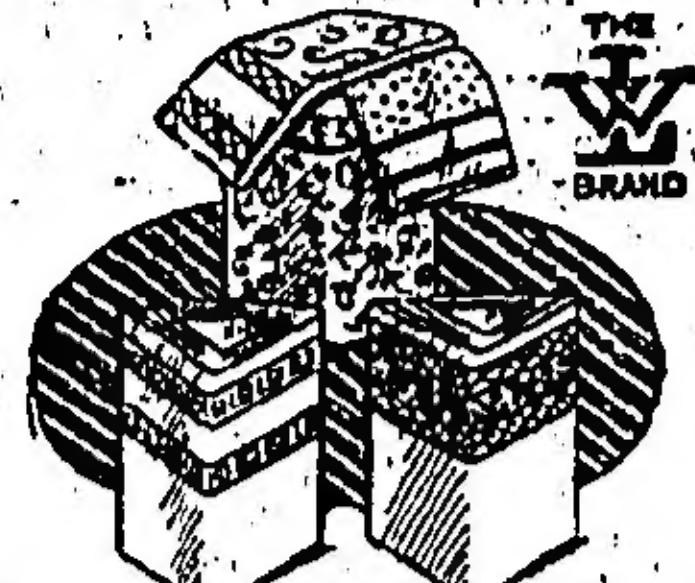
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Mr. Morrison, staying at Room No. 27, Peak Hotel, reported to the police yesterday that some time between 9.15 p.m. on Saturday and 7.30 a.m. yesterday, a thief forced open a locked drawer in his room and stole \$65 in money.

The forthcoming marriage in Hong Kong is announced of Mr. James May, mechanical engineer of the Asiatic Petroleum Co., Shanghai, and Miss Helena Mohan, a professional nurse who is coming here on the P. & O. "Naldera."

A cargo coolie was yesterday removed to the Government Civil Hospital with a fractured spine. The injury was caused through a heavy bale of cotton falling on him, while he was at work in the Hip Woo Loong godown at West Point. The man's condition is very serious.

At the Marine Court this morning, the master of a cargo boat was fined \$10 for failing to exhibit a regulation light on the evening of November 3. In another case, the mistress and a steersman of a cargo boat were each fined \$10 for obstruction in the southern fairway.

Mr. C. de S. Robertson, who was for many years on the management staff of the Hong Kong and Shanghai Hotels, Ltd., and for the past seven months manager of the catering department of Messrs. Lane, Crawford's restaurant, was a passenger by the s.s. "Hakusan Maru" which sailed for Europe via ports on Sunday. Mr. Robertson resigned his position at Lane, Crawford's to join the executive staff of the Runcymede Hotel, Ltd., in Penang.

The Committee of the Club de Recreio have issued invitations to the unveiling of a Memorial to the late Private F. M. Soares, of the 3rd Battalion Middlesex Regiment, who lost his life on the Ypres front during the World War. The late Mr. Soares was a Portuguese member of the Hong Kong Volunteers when he joined up with the first Hong Kong contingent. The Hon. W. T. Southorn, C.M.G., the Officer Administering the Government, has signified his willingness to unveil the Memorial at noon on Armistice Day in King's Park.

CORRESPONDENCE

POPPY DAY

To the Editor of the "China Mail":

Sir.—I should be much obliged if you would publish the enclosed telegram received by the local branch of the British Legion from Earl Jellicoe, President of the British Legion.

I may mention that the local Committee are hard at work organising collections. Street collections will be made by ladies on Sunday next, the 11th inst., as

"Last year the sum of \$2,013 was collected and it is hoped that the generosity of the public will enable a bigger sum to be remitted this year."

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that it is part of our work to help those badly disabled men to employment.

Yours etc.,

For Poppy Day Committee,

British Legion.

Hong Kong, Nov. 5, 1928.

Telegram from London, dated October 17, 1928.

To British Legion, Hong Kong.

To all who have so generously supported Poppy Day Fund in Hong Kong and associated districts in China in the past I wish

to express my heartfelt thanks

and admiration for the sympathetic and

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Jellicoe, A. F.

THE NEW BIRTH

CHINESE EVANGELISTS
ADDRESS

AT GOSPEL HALL

Mr. Leland Wang, the well-known Chinese evangelist, delivered an address on "The New Birth" at the Gospel Hall, Duddell-street, on Sunday, October 28, before a large audience. Mr. Wang, who spoke in English, said:—

I thank God for this privilege of talking to you. I am glad to see you all. I am come to bring good news which concerns us all. Suppose a man is dying and his wife is standing by his bed looking into his face with tears running down her face and the children are crying around him. The family tie is going to be broken and we say it is very sad. Then someone drops in and says, "You need not be troubled. I can heal him and raise him up—I am come to bring life."

Would this not be good news for the family? We have been dead in sins and trespasses for a long time but Christ has come that we might have life and have it more abundantly. There is life in Him. This is the good news for us all. The children of Israel in the wilderness were dying of the bite of the serpents. God told Moses to make a brass serpent and everyone who looked on the brass serpent were healed. There is life in a look—when they looked they lived—that was good news for the Israelites. Good news for those who are dying.

Good News
Christ came to bring life to the souls who are dead in sins and trespasses. First of all I would like to say that life comes from God. He is the fountain of life and in His light we shall see light. God is the creator of all different kinds of life. Nowadays we see aeroplanes—submarines. Man is very clever but he cannot give life. He cannot make a bird—life comes from God. We have seen talking machines but there is no life in them—moving pictures but no life—photographs but lifeless. Last Friday I came down from Canton and met a foreigner on the train. I talked with him about God. He did not believe in God—said man could create things—even children—we are only producers. In China we like to have boys—we do not like too many girls—but we have no power to even produce boys. The Mother gets tired of having a girl all the time and when a boy is born to the family there is great happiness.

Fountain of Life
We know that we are living—we have life but it is only physical life in the sight of God. Those who don't know God are enemies of God. They are dead in sins and trespasses—they have no spiritual life. Their spiritual life is dark and dead in the sight of God so there comes the necessity of being born again—new life from above. When Nicodemus came to Jesus he said "Rabbi, we know that thou art a teacher come from God: for no man can do these miracles that thou doest, except God be with him." Jesus answers "Ye must be born again." It is wonderful to me that he should say that to Nicodemus. If Jesus had spoken these words to the Samaritan woman—she had so many husbands—she had need of new life—or to the thief on the cross—he was a robber—he had need of new life.

He spoke these words to a gentleman moving in a high society—Nicodemus was a Rabbi—he had the first seat in the synagogue—he was honoured. "Ye must be born again"—that means everyone who wants to come into the Kingdom of God must be born again. One may have the degree of D.D. but never come to the knowledge of God. We must have the degree of B.A.—Born Again—before we can enter the Kingdom of God.

Some of us have been in the world for 30 years or fifty or sixty years—we may be professors—doctors—or business men but there are two things we agree on. One is that we are pilgrims on this earth—we cannot stay here very long—one day we must leave this world. Our time is very short. This world is full of sorrow—sin—sickness and tears.

There is no joy or peace in this earth. We all agree on this but there is a world where there is no sin—no sorrow—no darkness—where it is bright all day.

There is only one way to go to that world—that is by being born again.

"He that is born of the flesh is flesh and he that is born of the Spirit is spirit." There are so many people on this earth—China has four hundred millions different kinds of colour, kin

and race. How did we come into this world? Only one way—by being born into the world. No one jumped down from heaven—no one came from monkey.

I have never seen it and I do not believe in Kings or beggars—we all came the same day—we were born into the world. There is only one way to get to that other world

up there—that is by being born into it—it is very simple.

Born Again

May God open our eyes to see the necessity of being born again.

People say: "I do not like the Bible—it is very dry." The trouble is that they cannot see. They cannot say with the blind man of John 9, "Once I was blind but now I can see." When God opened his eyes He gave him a fresh version and the Bible became a new book to him.

One we are born again—we have new life and are hungry and thirsty after God and righteousness. We want something to satisfy us and we feed on the word of God. When we had no life we did not want it. I was once asked to see a wonderful horse in a kindergarten in Canton. It did not eat grass! It was a wooden horse—no life, therefore no need of grass. Some have no spiritual life—therefore no need of the Bible—no spiritual appetite—no knowledge of God.

Light From Above

"As new born babes desiring the sincere milk of the Word." This milk is only for the new born babes in Christ. People criticise the Bible and some question why Christ came and died and why we are always talking about the second coming of the Lord Jesus Christ.

But when you are born again you get light from above and everything will be new to you and then you won't criticise. We know that our nature from our first father Adam is bad and we can do nothing to alter our nature. We may try hard but we could never work out our own salvation. It is by being born again. When the Spirit of God convicts us of our sins and reveals the Lord Jesus Christ as the Saviour—that "through His stripes we are healed"—we have life. We know that He rose from the dead—we have a living Saviour. It is by faith in Jesus Christ.

Some say, "I have tried hard to be good—I give money to the poor—I am a member of the Church—I go to church every Sunday—I am baptised"—full of "I, I"—full of works. That is not Salvation—that is not faith. Faith is taking—receiving—believing in Him—then God will give you authority to become a son of God. (John 1:12-13).

The work of His Holy Spirit in the hearts of men is threefold. (John 16).

1. Convicting hearts of sin and unrighteousness. The name given to the Holy Spirit is Comforter but his work is first to discomfit the hearts of men.

2. Reveal the Lord Jesus Christ as the sin bearer who died for our sins. It is one thing to know ourselves as sinners but we must also know Jesus Christ as our Saviour.

3. He is the Spirit of Life—He gives us new life. (Romans 8:2).

An Illustration
Let me give you an illustration—I think most people in Hong Kong know how to swim. Suppose a man is drowning and someone jumps in to save him—the first thing that person would do would be to knock him senseless, so that he cannot struggle. You must not say that that is cruel, otherwise they will both be drowned. The way of salvation will give you a big blow—will convict you of your sin—of pride—pride of race—pride of place—of jealousy of all kinds of sin—until you become humble and say, "I am unclean, altogether undone." The Lord will visit you with His Salvation.

We have seen during the last year or so the Church in China going through persecution. We have seen some people who professed to be Christians turn out to the enemies of the Church. Those who have been brought up in Missionary schools—under Christian influence are the worse enemies. We cannot change the "nature" of people—we can train men to be preachers but that does not mean to say that they are Christians.

Tiger as Lamb
I read of a story of a gentleman in India who kept a tiger as a pet. It was brought up with his dog in his home. One day he was reading and the tiger came and licked his hand. He tasted blood and became dangerous. The master knew the nature of the tiger was aroused and he had to shoot it. Why did the tiger turn an enemy of his master? It was his nature. You cannot train a tiger to become a lamb.

We cannot train men to become Christians—it is not by learning or reading—it is by being born again. Several years ago I met a man in Kuling. One night he stood up and gave his testimony. "This morning I heard Mr. Wang speak. He told us he was an officer of the navy. I was the leader of bandits. I had 3,000 men under my control—they called me 'No. 13 tiger.' But I heard the Gospel—that Christ died between two robbers and that one of the two robbers was saved. If that robber could be (Continued on Page 7.)

At the St. Andrew's Church yesterday, special services marked the observance of the Harvest Festival.

Mr. W. J. Stokes, Secretary of the Marine Engineers' Guild, of China, has been removed to the Matilda Hospital, suffering from a nervous breakdown.

THE NEW BIRTH

(Continued from Page 6.)

saved why not? I accepted Christ and became a Christian." The Tiger became a lamb. We cannot train people to be Christians, but when they receive the Lord Jesus Christ their lives are transformed—born again. This is the Gospel—this is good news. He that is in Christ is a new creature.

We see a motor truck with some dirty, filthy pieces of rags—of no use to anybody—but they are taken to a factory and a week later the motor truck comes out with nice white paper.

"All our righteousnesses are as filthy rags" but when we receive Jesus Christ we become new creatures. It is wonderful. We have eternal life—nothing less can satisfy us. When the Lord Jesus Christ spoke to Nicodemus about the second birth he spoke about Moses in the wilderness. I think it is a wonderful illustration in connection with the second birth. Moses lifted up the serpent to bring life to the dead. New Life is life from above—Christ was lifted up on the Cross. He was crucified for our sins and when we look on Him the burden of our sin rolls away.

Look on Him

I know I am born again but I do not know how I was born. But I know whom I have believed. It is blessed to know that we have new life from God—that we move and work in Him and commune with Him and talk and have fellowship with Him. We have peace with God.

I like to quote the story of Spurgeon when he went to the little Chapel and heard the preacher say, "Look unto Me and be saved." He took that verse and believed and turned out to be the greatest preacher. Look on the crucified one—do not look at yourself or at other people. He is the life giver—He laid down his life that we might have life. He gave His life a ransom for us and through Him we have life.

"I am the Way, the Truth, and the Life." There is no other name under heaven through whom we can be saved. Pray "Lord have mercy on me—save me for I am undone." It is very simple—you need not wait until to-morrow—do it to-night—take it by faith.

LESSON SERMON

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, HONG KONG.

"Everlasting Punishment" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, November 4.

The Golden Text was—"The hope of the righteous shall be gladness: but the expectation of the wicked shall perish" (Proverbs 10: 28).

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible—"The wicked worketh a deceitful work: but to him that soweth righteousness shall be a sure reward. As righteousness tendeth to life: so that purseth evil purseth it to his own death. They that are of a froward heart are abomination to the Lord: but such as are upright in their way are his delight. Though hand join in hand, the wicked shall not be unpunished: but the seed of the righteous shall be delivered" (Prov. 11: 18-21).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science text-book, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy—"We should relieve our minds of the depressing thought that we have transgressed a material law and must of necessity pay the penalty. Let us reassure ourselves with the law of Love. God never punishes man for doing right, for honest labour, or for deeds of kindness, though they expose him to fatigue, cold, heat, contagion" (p. 384).

AT U.S.R.C.

TENNIS WINS AGAINST VISITORS

Another interesting series of exhibition tennis matches was played at United Services Recreation Club during the week-end when the Club players opposed another strong combination of net men drawn from the various other Clubs in the Colony, and playing under the name of the Hong Kong Lawn Tennis Association.

The matches were extended over Saturday and Sunday, and the U.S.R.C. again came up on top, winning seven out of the nine matches played. The Indian R.C., Craigengower, Chinese R.C. and Hong Kong University were represented in the visiting team.

The full results were:

Singles: Hunter (U.S.R.C.) beat S. A. Rumbahn, 6-3, 6-2, 6-3; Hunter (U.S.R.C.) lost to M. W. Lee, 6-3, 2-6, 3-6, 6-3.

Doubles:

Tottenham and Lucas (U.S.R.C.)

CANTON MEET

LOCAL ATHLETES DO WELL

THIRD DAY'S RESULTS

The 11th Kwangtung Provincial athletic meet continued on Saturday before a large number of spectators. Admiral Chan Chak, Commander of the Navy at Canton was also present in the afternoon. The results of the third day's events were as follows:

Track Events—100 Metres (Senior) for Men (Final), 1st Lam Yuk-ying (China Athletic), 2nd Mak Kwok-chun (Nam Tai University, Canton), 3rd Lau Tung (Nam Tai University, Canton).

400 Metres (Senior) for Men (Final) 1st Mak Kwok-chun (Nam Tai University, Canton), 2nd Fung Kwok-wah (China Athletic, H.K.), 3rd Chan Keng-cho (China Athletic H.K.).

100 Metres (Junior), for Men (Final) 1st Chan Kwong-ying (Nam Tai University, Canton), 2nd Ling Cheuk-kong (Chung Tak Academy), 3rd Hui Po-chiu (Nam Tai University, Canton).

400 Metres (Junior) for Men (Final) 1st Lau Kam (Chung Shan University, Canton), 2nd Ko Wei-tit (Nam Tai University, Canton), 3rd Leung Fook-tai (Chung Shan University).

100 Metres (Junior "A" for Men (Final) 1st Yu Siu-yan (Pui Ching School, Canton), 2nd Ko Wei-cham (Nam Tai University, Canton), 3rd Pang Hung-cheung (Pui Ching School, Canton).

100 Metres (Junior "B") for Men (Final) 1st Wong Yat-foo (Pui Ying School), 2nd Chau Wing-yuen (Pui Ying School), 3rd Lee Wai-luen (Nam Tai University).

Volley Ball.—Men's Final, Chung Shan University versus Nam Tai University, former won by 21 to 7 and 21 to 15.

Basket Ball.—Men's Final, Chung Shan University (Canton), versus South China, Hong Kong, former won by 26 to 14 and 21 to 16.

Baseball.—Ladies' Final, Chan Kwong School (Canton), versus Pui To School (Canton), former won by 39 to 18.

Tennis.—Ladies' Double (Final), Nue Sze School (Canton), versus Ling Nan University (Canton), former won.

Track Events—200 Metres for Men (Final), 1st Lam Yuk-ying (China Athletic).

Aquatics

The aquatic sports were held at the Y.M.C.A. in the same evening, where all the Hong Kong representatives did exceptionally well.

The results were as follows:

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220 yard (breast stroke) for men, 1st Lau Chi-hing (Chinese Bathing Club, H.K.), 2nd Wong Kei-jeung (South China H.K.), 3rd Chu Yang-chi (Nam Yat University).

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Fourth Day

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Football.—(Final) China Athletic (H.K.) versus Nam Wah Association (Canton), former won by 5 goals to nil. Cheung Shiu-hong scored 3 goals and Wong Chung-pak scored 2 goals for the winners.

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AT MACAO

LOCALS ATTENDED FAIR AND RACES

GOOD SWEEP RETURNS

A very big crowd attended the race meeting at Macao yesterday, many well-known racing men and enthusiasts going over from Hong Kong. His Excellency, Dr. Joao de Bianchi, Portuguese Minister to Peking, was present as the guest of H.E. the Governor of Macao.

In the evening, the Macao Fair was opened, and attracted many hundreds of visitors. It was opened at 9 p.m., by H.E. the Governor of Macao, who was accompanied by H.E. the Portuguese Minister. The well organised Fair speaks well for the commercial acumen of Macao and it is gratifying that part of the proceeds will be devoted to charities.

Among the many visitors to the races were the Hon. Mr. Gordon Mackie, Mrs. and Miss Gordon Mackie, Mr. Joao Magalhaes, Mr. A. G. Bethell, Major and Mrs. Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Hashim, Mrs. Ho Fook, Mr. Ho Leung, Mr. Stanton, Mrs. Priestley, Mr. L. Reidy, Capt. Wolfe Murray, Mr. McCartney, Mr. Clark, Mr. J. P. Braga, Dr. and Mrs. Horacio Carvalho, Mr. and Mrs. Daurio Veiga, Mr. Tito Poincare, Lt. Col. and Miss Lobato, and many others. The stewards present were Mr. H. H. Priestley, Chairman, Dr. Pierce Grove, Mr. Ho Kom-tong, O.B.E., Dr. Carlos de Mello Leitao, Mr. J. M. Braga, Mr. F. Sutton, Mr. S. W. Cheng, Secretary, and the other officials included Mr. C. M. S. Alves, Mr. W. D. Fiddes Wilson, Mr. W. G. Pirie, and Mr. D. P. J. Lopes.

Pressure on space does not permit the giving of the racing results in full. The various stables met with fairly even success, whilst Clark and G. da Rosa were the most successful jockeys, each securing three places.

The race sweeps did good business, and with tickets at \$3 a piece gave excellent prizes, comparing very favourably with those given for tickets at \$5 each, as heretofore. The biggest prize of the day was in the fourth race, \$275.

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EARTHQUAKES

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DRUMS OF LOVE

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AT THE STAR

D. W. Griffith's "Drums of Love" which will be presented at the Queen's Theatre from Wednesday next, according to a special advertisement in this issue, is the story of two brothers who solemnly swear to uphold each other's honour and tell of how they are brought to a grave crisis when they both fall in love with a beautiful girl held by them as a hostage. The theme is based on the historical incident of Francesco da Rimini.

As "Sorrell and Son" was an epic of fatherly love, so "Drums of Love" is an outstanding work in the seldom-attempted field of brotherly love. The production is spoken of as being one of D. W. Griffith's greatest pictures, and the director himself compares it favourably with "Intolerance," "Broken Blossoms" and "The Birth of a Nation." No pains were spared in making the picture one of the most lavish yet turned out by United Artists. More than eight thousand extras were employed from time to time when the picture was being filmed. Mary Philbin, Lionel Barrymore, Don Alvarado and Tully Marshall are among the principal players.

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SOCCER FEATURES

(Continued from Page 4.)
Recreio were aggressive again
straight from the kick-off and A.
Gosano worked through in
beautiful style but shot wide.

The Navy defence was having a
gruelling time and Speirs was
forced to rush out from goal on
several occasions. Recreio were
combining beautifully and had
the Naval defence tied up into
knots.

At length the sailors got going
and Pomeroy gave to Firth whose
shot was very near the mark. At
the other end the Navy had a
wonderful escape, when the ball
cannoned off Speirs and trickled
sideways in front of an empty
goal. An exciting tussle in the
goalmouth ensued but the tension
was relieved when A. Gosano shot
over.

Half-time came with Recreio
leading by the only goal scored.
Navy Equalise

The second half opened with a
strong attack by Recreio.

After five minutes, Roza
Pereira received from B. Gosano
and scored from close range.

This second shock put life into

the sailors and for a time they
were prominent with persistent
raids on the Recreio goal.

A fine bout of passing between
Pomeroy, Firth and Van Tromp
led to Navy opening their account
through Firth. Marques letting
the ball slip through his hands.

Navy were now having far
the better of the play and
Marques was called upon to deal
with shots from Van Tromp and
Pomeroy, while Mann scraped the
cross-bar with a fine header.

The equaliser was not long in
coming. Marques came out of
goal in an endeavour to clear and
lost the ball, which went to Mann,
and the latter had only to place it
into an empty net.

A. Gosano's Double.

Excitement ran high when
Recreio again took the lead almost
straight from the kick-off. A
splendid run by B. Gosano had
had the Navy backs guessing and
the ball came over to A. Gosano who
scored from close in.

Recreio were doing all the attacking
at this stage and A. Gosano added a fourth within five
minutes with a header which gave
Speirs no chance.

The sailors never gave up trying
and a fierce attack culminated in
Pomeroy flicking the ball into
the corner of the net.

Pomeroy made several fine individual
bursts in the closing stages, but Recreio managed to
hold on to their lead and a most
interesting game ended in a victory
for the home team by 4-3.

Division II

VARSITY v. K.O.S.R.

Putting on three in the first
half, the 2nd Batt. King's Own
Scottish Borderers defeated Val-
ley. The Varsity custodian played
well—in spite of the score.

The Borderers scored in the
first five minutes of the game.
Craig (outside-left) took the ball

down the wing and the centre
which he put in appeared to
swerve with the wind, but Crawley
helped it along. Crawley
scored the second goal with a run
through on his own. Hart added
the third in a scrimmage in front
of University's goal.

The second half was not quite
so one-sided as the first. The
University now had the advantage
of the wind and made good
use of it by lifting the ball in the
air as much as possible. They
scored first in this half, through
Candah who, supported by another
forward, went through the centre
of the field and scored.

Crawley obtained the Borderers'
fourth and last goal towards
the end.

RECREIO v. QUEEN'S

The 1st Batt. Queen's Royal
Regiment deservedly won from
Club de Recreio at King's Park
by three goals to nil.

The infantrymen were always the better
side and Recreio have to thank
Beltro for a fine display in goal;
otherwise the score would have been
much heavier.

Harris opened the scoring, after
five minutes' play, with a magnificient first-time drive.

Queen's continued to do practically
all the attacking, but their shooting
was inaccurate at times.

Queen's were awarded a penalty
early in the second half, and
Bunn made no mistake with the
kick. This player led his forwards
well and had hard luck on several
occasions with shots which were
either charged down.

Evans added the third goal
after a smart piece of work by
Gill.

R.A. v. R.A.F.

Royal Air Force vanquished
Royal Artillery at Sookumboo by
seven goals to nil.

The Artillery attacked first but
the defence of the Air Force was strong.

The Airmen now came into the
picture and Gallacher opened the
scoring. Soon after, Steele added
the second and the ball was kept
in the Gunners' territory.

The second half saw a more or
less complete rout of the Gunners,
five goals being scored by the
R.A.F. (Gallacher 2, Greenslade 1
from a penalty for hands, Steele 1,
Carey 1.)

Carey's goal was the feature of
the match. Taking the ball on
the line about thirty yards out,
he beat four or five opponents
and gave the goalkeeper no
chance.

But for an occasional breakaway
by the Gunners, the winners
had the game well in hand.

Davey, for the losers, played a
hard game all through, having a
"handful" in Gallacher and his
partner.

ST. JOSEPH'S v. SMALL UNITS

Playing on St. Joseph's ground
at Happy Valley, the Army Small
Units were unfortunate in not
securing their first victory of the
season.

In the first half the Small Units
were in the St. Joseph's half practically
the whole time. They obtained
the lead after 15 minutes,
thanks to a goal scored by Williamson
from a pass by McGuire. They
missed many opportunities in this
half (which they had no hope of getting in the second) as
they were favoured by the wind.

The second half was more even,
with the advantage on the side of
St. Joseph's, who evened matters
up from a penalty, taken by
Leonard, who put in a superb
ground shot, which left the goalie
"cold."

In the latter stages of the game,
St. Joseph's bucked up but no
further score was added.

EASTERN v. SOUTH CHINA 'A'

An exciting, even game was
witnessed between Eastern F.C.
and South China "A" team at
Happy Valley, the score of one
all being a fair reflection of the
game.

Eastern were unlucky when,
after ten minutes, owing to a mis-
understanding between the two
backs, they put the ball in their
own goal between them. However,
they made amends. Within
the next ten minutes, they equalised
through Dallah, who scored
with a lovely shot.

The second half was a repetition
of the first, inasmuch as
that both sides tried their hardest
to obtain the lead, play being
mostly from end to end, but the
final whistle blew without either
citadel capitulating again.

Friendly

KOWLOON v. R.A.M.C.

Kowloon F.C. Reserves, on their
own ground, beat Royal Army
Medical Corps comfortably by
three goals to nil. Play was
never very interesting and both
forward lines showed weakness
near goal. Sutherland got
through for Kowloon after Taylor
had fumbled a shot from Davis.

The home team were continually
being pulled up offside and many
good efforts were nullified
in this way.

R.A.M.C. had more of the game
after the interval, but could do
nothing right when near goal.
After 15 minutes Blacklock sent
over a fine centre, from which
Davis netted. Skinner played a
fine game at centre-half for the
losers and gave his forwards some
perfect passes which were not
turned to account.

Easterbrook scored the third
goal with a long shot which deceived Taylor.

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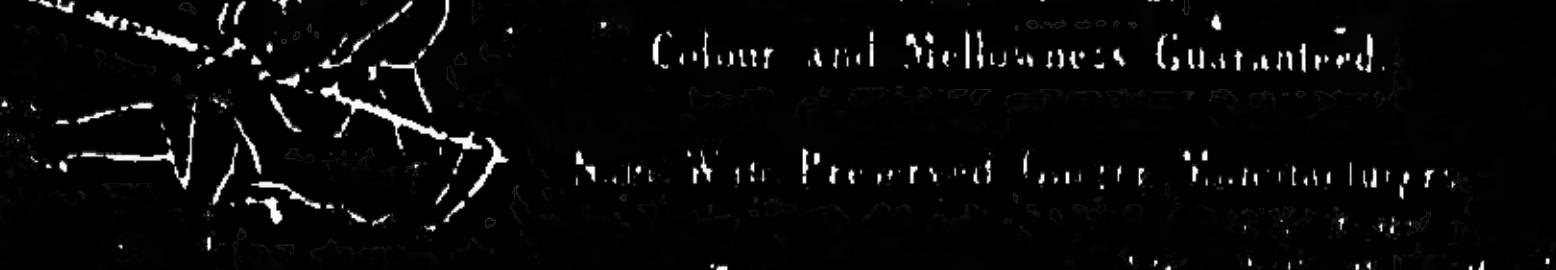
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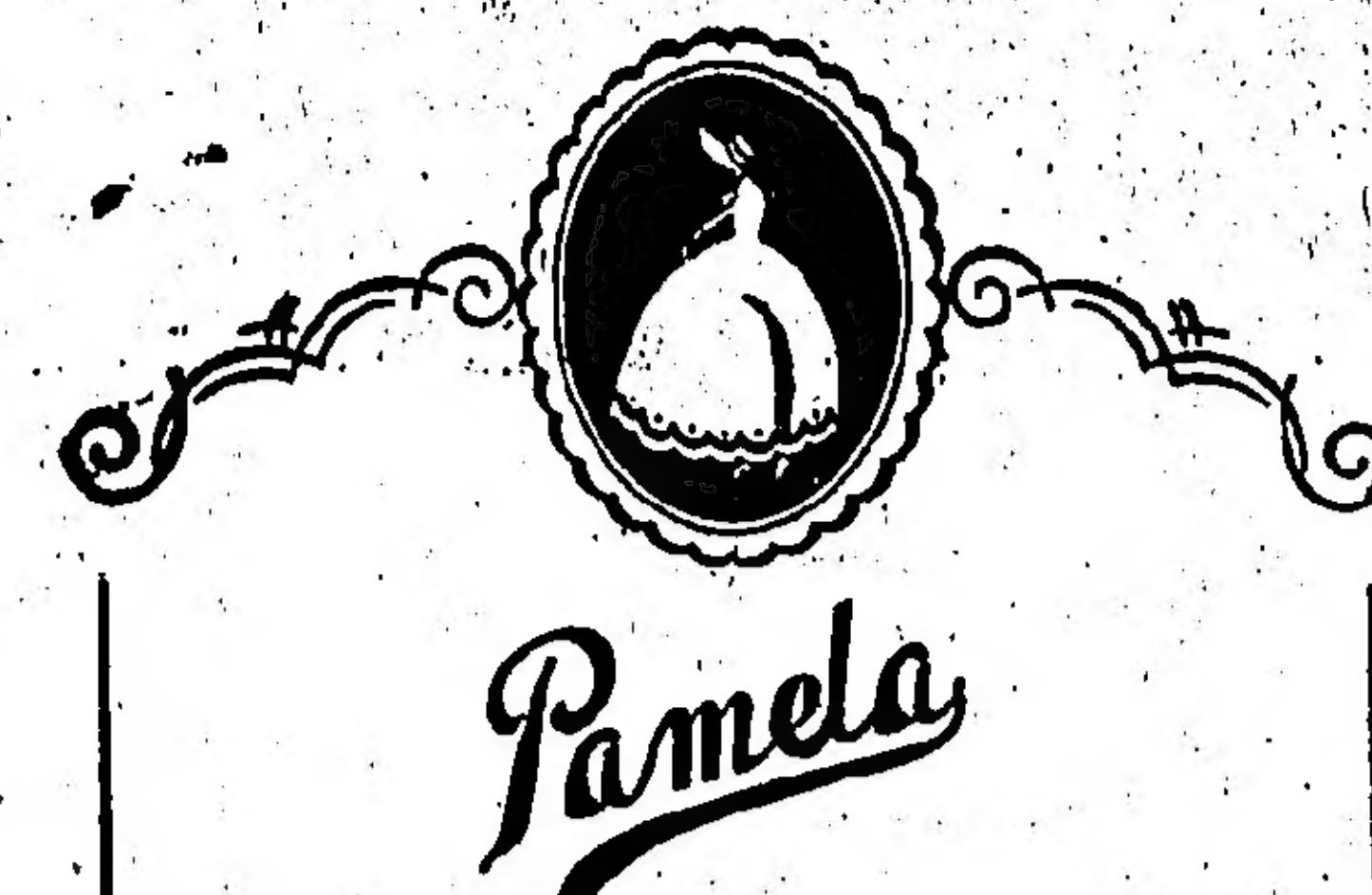
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TWO BELTS NOW**SIG. MORRIS'S PROWESS IN THE RING****H.K.B.A. 2ND TOURNAMENT**

Forty-two rounds of fighting, with one knock-out, characterised the opening tournament of the Hong Kong Boxing Association held at the Theatre Royal on Saturday night. As a result of the championship bout the welterweight belt passed from Marine Fraser to Signalman Morris, who is already middleweight champion of the Colony. In this contest the former was knocked-out in the tenth round after providing most of the attack. Morris, as usual, played a waiting game and had his man well weakened before administering the decisive blow.

Of the other four bouts the ten round welterweight contest between A.B. Moore (H.M.S. "Cumberland") 142 lbs. and A.B. Saunders (H.M.S. "Seraph") 143½ lbs. at welters over ten rounds in the third event. The start was fast with the "Seraph" man doing the attacking. Moore had the advantage in height and reach but could not keep his opponent off. A hot round finished with Saunders well ahead. The second was even, though uneventful, both men being content to box rather than slug. In the third Saunders resumed his attack, only more flashily and was having things much his own way until Moore steadied him with three jabs to the face—anybody's round. The next, too, was easy though it displayed pretty boxing on the part of both lads. There was nothing in the next as points go, Saunders scoring at the opening and Moore picking up at the end. In the seventh Saunders scored with some nice lefts, short jabs and went out in the next round as if he meant to finish Moore off. The former tired, however, half way through, and again had to take a few punishing thumps. The ninth showed some nice mixing, both fighting themselves tired. The last stanza was a repetition of many that had gone before, Saunders being on the attack at the opening but failing to maintain it. Saunders was given the verdict.

The Big Fight
On the whole the tournament was a success though it seemed that most of the contestants were not absolutely fighting fit.

One Bad Decision
A.B. Vahey (H.M.S. "Seraph") 114½ lbs. and H. Major (Hong Kong) 118½ lbs. met in the opening event. The local lad was the first to score with right and left body blows, but Vahey put up most of the attack in the first round which ended fairly evenly. Major went after his man in the next, attempting to get home with his right. A warning for holding was well-merited. At the end of this stanza the "Seraph" man was leading slightly, scoring with heavy lefts to the head. Major had his right connecting with the body in the third, but the blows lacked their old power. The fourth was slow and even. Vahey did most of the leading in the fifth, but after a close-in ast to was caught off his guard and dropped for a couple of seconds. The last round was a ding-dong affair, another caution being administered, and the contest was given to Major, a distinctly unfair decision which met with the amount of boozing it deserved.

A Good Bout
In a scheduled ten round bout at featherweights Sig. Shons (H.M.S. "Seraph") 126 lbs. met A.B. Castle (H.M.S. "Cumberland") 133 lbs. The opening was quiet but in a short while Castle waded in with a two-handed attack which gave him some good points. Shons seemed to take matters too matter-of-factly. Castle continued to beat his man to the punch in the second, as he did in the next without doing much damage. In the fourth Shons made more use of the ring, but was still on the losing end when the fifth round was called. This saw the

Round 2—Both sparred cautiously at the outset and in the clinches felt for body openings. Fraser had the lead in the first round, with Signalman Morris (H.M.S. "Magnolia") 145 lbs., who is the middleweight champion. The opening round was a "feeler" and not a blow of weight was struck. Morris had the advantage in height.

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Round 3—Both sparred with Fraser pressing. Morris, however, scored whilst on the defensive. Both put in a lot of work but blows lacked sting and at this stage the full journey of 16 rounds looked most likely.

Round 4—Morris scored with a right jab and followed up with some close-in body work two handed. Fraser started wading in but found the "Magnolia" man hard to hit at short range. Nothing in this round, nor in the previous three.

Round 5—Both punching hard for a spell, Fraser on the attack. Here he took a point or two more than Morris, scoring with left jabs.

Round 6—A pretty bit of infighting was followed by the "Tamar" man registering two straight lefts. Morris then caught Fraser in the body with his right and distinctly slowed the attack. The round went to the "Magnolia" man, who was slammimg heartily at the close.

Round 7—Fraser took some punishment from right upper cuts at the opening, leaving his face wide. He came back, however, to clout Morris on the ear, and after some heavy exchanges, the round ended easy.

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BOWLS**CIVIL SERVICE SURPRISE CRAIGENGOWER****FERGUSON CHAMPION**

Saturday was a red letter day for local lawn bowlers, who attended in full force at the Kowloon Bowring Green Club to see the finals of the Open Singles Championship of the Colony and of the Spey Royal Cup.

A surprise was provided in the Spey Royal Cup final, which was started first. Great things were naturally expected from the Craigengower Cricket Club, this season's winners of the Senior division of the League, but there was no holding back the Civil Service four on Saturday. They were all in fine form, and played very well together, winning with five shots, to spare.

Craigengower started well and scoring two in each of the first two heads without reply, looked like making short shift of their opponents. Civil Service had their first look in in the third when they reduced Craigengower's lead by two, and then they simply refused to look back.

At the fifth head the scores were level at 4 all. Then Civil Service took the lead 6-4 in the sixth, and remained in front right up to the tenth head when Craigengower drew level at 10 all. After this hopeful spurt, Craigengower again failed to come off and within the next two heads Civil Service established a bigger lead than before—17-11. This lead the Civil Service maintained right up to the finish, Craigengower being able to reduce it by only two shots, losing 16-21.

Scores:

Craigengower		Civil Service		
Head	Shots	Total	Shots	Total
1	2	2	—	—
2	2	4	—	—
3	—	4	2	2
4	—	4	1	3
5	—	4	1	4
6	—	4	2	6
7	—	4	1	7
8	2	6	—	7
9	—	6	1	8
10	—	6	2	10
11	1	7	—	10
12	3	10	—	10
13	—	10	1	11
14	—	10	6	17
15	1	11	—	17
16	1	12	—	17
17	2	14	—	17
18	—	14	2	19
19	—	14	1	20
20	—	14	1	21
21	2	16	—	21

Singles:

The Open Singles Championship match was between J. Ferguson (Takoo R.C.) and A. R. Clark (Police R.C.), and commenced nearly an hour after the Spey Cup match.

A very keenly contested game was promised at the outset, but Clark fell away after the fourth head when he was one down. After Clark had scored one in the first head, Ferguson took the lead from the second, from which moment he forged ahead steadily, leading by one and two until the sixth when he had four shots in hand. This advantage he had increased by six when the last head was reached, and ran out a good margin.

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winner by 21-11. With the exception of the fourth head when he looked good with a well played two, Clark's scores throughout the match were singles.

Details follows:

Ferguson		Clark		
Head	Shots	Total	Shots	Total
1	—	—	1	1
2	2	2	—	—
3	—	4	2	3
4	—	5	2	3
5	—	7	—	3
6	—	10	—	3
7	—	10	1	4
8	1	11	—	4
9	—	13	—	4
10	—	17	—	4
11	1	18	1	5
12	—	18	1	5
13	—	18	1	7
14	—	18	1	8
15	—	18	1	9
16	—	18	1	9
17	—	18	1	9
18	1	19	1	11
19	—	19	1	11
20	—	19	1	11
21	1	21	—	11

After the matches, Mrs. B. Wylie presented the trophies as follows:

Open Singles Championship:

Winner: J. Ferguson; Runner-up: A. R. Clark; 3; J. Gibson; 4; R. Duncan.

Spey Royal Cup: Civil Service C.C. (A. W. Grimmit, skip).

Small souvenirs trophies were handed to the members of the winning Spey Club team and bottles of Spey Royal whisky to the losers.

Takoo (R. Wallace, J. Laing, J. C. Chalmers and Morrison) were also handed cups, which, owing to an oversight, was not done last year.

Mrs. Wylie was the recipient of a beautiful bouquet and holder, handed her by little Miss Rosie Nish, and also three hearty cheers, a compliment that was also paid to the ladies.

A Record

On the Civil Service C.C. rinks yesterday afternoon, local lawn bowls records which will perhaps never be bettered was created in a match between the Dockyard R.C. and the Hong Kong Electric R.C. It was a return encounter, the Dockyard having won the first match on the Electric now rinks at North Point. Dockyard won again yesterday by the astonishingly big margin of 83 shots, an undoubted record. Another record was made by the Dockyard when they won on the first rink by 52-0. The results on the other two rinks were:

Dockyard 17, 37; Electric 15, 8.

The highest score recorded in the League was made this season by the Club de Recreio "A" team when they topped the "century" mark in one match, but their winning margin was under 70 shots.

POPPY DAY**EXHIBITION MATCH FOR CHARITIES**

In aid of Earl Haig's Poppy Day fund for charities, a grand exhibition soccer match is to be played at 4 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 12, at the Hong Kong F.C.'s ground, Happy Valley.

A fine team representative of the Fighting Services is to meet the Civilians of Hong Kong. The Services XI was chosen as follows:

L.T. Brockman (H.M.S. "Titania"); Sgt. Hébér (1st Queen's Regt.) L.S. Baker (H.M.S. "Titania"); Sgt. Skiggs (2nd K.O.S.B.'s); Staff Sgt. Sims (R.A.M.C.) captain, Pte. Cantor (1st Queen's Regt.); Shpt. Van Tromp (H.M.S. "Hermes"); Pte. Stock (2nd K.O.S.B.'s), Sgt. Leach (R.A.), A.B. Evans (H.M.S. "Bruce"), Pte. Caldicott (1st Queen's Regt.).

Reserves: Sgt. McGlinchey (2nd K.O.S.B.'s), A.B. Barkham (H.M.S. "Titania").

The Civilians' team was announced as follows:

Pau Ka-ping (South China A.A.); Wynne (Police), Lai Yuk (Chinese Athletic); McCrae (Police); Stewart (H.K.F.C.) captain, McElveen (Kowloon F.C.); Tao Kwei-shing (Chinese Athletic); Fung King-cheung (South China A.A.); Gosano (Recreio), Suen Kam-shun (Chinese Athletic); Chan Kwong-lu (Chinese Athletic).

Reserves: Li Tin-sang (South China A.A.); McBride (H.K.F.C.); Rocha (Recreio), Brown (Recreio).

The officials appointed are, Referee: Mr. Ip Kau-ko. Linesmen: C.P.O. Craig; Sgt. Bunting.

Laughs

The final bout was between Piper Smith (2nd K.O.S.B.) 154½ lbs. and A.B. Tremming (H.M.S. "Hermes") 148½ lbs., over six rounds. It was a draw. Neither knew much, if anything, about the game, though they provided enter-

tainment in the last round by their "Tamar" man being saved by the efforts to "paste" one another.

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WEEK-END CRICKET

KOWLOON MEET ROYAL NAVY & VOLUNTEERS

H. K. C. C. BEAT THE ARMY

Kowloon Cricket Club 1st XI were engaged twice during the week-end, drawing with Royal Navy on Saturday and defeating Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps yesterday. On Saturday the Club just beat the Army.

Three matches in division II of the league were played on Saturday, the Indian R. C. 2nd XI recording their fourth consecutive victory.

Sup-Inspector C. F. Alexander of the Traffic Department, performed the "hat trick" for Police R. C. and is the first bowler to accomplish thefeat in a League fixture this season.

H.K.C.C. v. THE ARMY

On their own ground, Hong Kong C.C. defeated the Army by 11 runs.

The home team started poorly but a useful contribution of 50 runs by Lammert helped to bring their total to 143. Hayward, going in first, played steadily for 31. Lt.-Col. Christian distinguished himself with the ball, taking five wickets for 22.

The Army were 11 runs behind when their eighth wicket fell and the last three batsmen failed to add to the score. Lce./Cpl. Miles knocked up 38 in quick time, Capt. Dobbie scored 23 and Capt. Evers 21. Bonnar was the most destructive bowler on his side, getting five wickets for 24. Scores:

Hong Kong C. C.

A. W. Hayward, c Fogden, b Christian 31
O. Moor, c Christian, b Wyatt 3
H. L. F. Ewin, c Wyatt, b Christian 3
Rev. E. K. Quick, c Miles, b Musson 3
H. Owen Hughes, b Wyatt 0
G. P. Lammert, not out 50
E. J. R. Mitchell, st. Fogden, b Christian 0
J. L. Bonnar, c Miles, b Christian 9
H. V. Parker, b Dobbie 11
C. D. Wales, c Fogden, b Christian 16
A. Reid, c Dobbie, b Wyatt 18
Extras 143

Total

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

O. M. R. W.
Dobbie 6 0 21 1
Christian 11 3 22 3
Wyatt 13 3 36 3
Thorp 5 1 11 0
Musson 3 1 5 1
Skinner 2 0 15 0
Miles 4 1 15 0

The Army

Capt. N. A. Thorp, c and b Bonnar 0
Bonnar 2
Capt. A. N. Evers, b Bonnar 12
Lt. C. E. C. Burton, b Wales 0
Lt. A. H. Musson, c Owen Hughes, b Bonnar 1
Col. R. B. Skinner, b Bonnar 0
Capt. A. G. Dobbie, b Parker 0
Sgt. Leach, c Owen Hughes, b Bonnar 1
L/Cpl. Miles, c Hayward, b Owen Hughes 0
Lt.-Col. F. J. C. Wyatt, l.b.w., b Wales 0
Lt.-Col. W. F. Christian, c and b Owen Hughes 0
Mr.-Gen. Fogden, not out 18

Total

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

O. M. R. W.
Bonnar 10 1 24 3
Wales 8 0 22 2
Parker 6 0 36 1
Reid 8 0 19 2
Owen Hughes 2 0 18 2

KOWLOON C.C. v. NAVY

Entertaining the Royal Navy, Kowloon C.C. played a drawn game with their visitors.

Scoring consistently, the Navy put up the respectable total of 156 for nine wickets, declared, to which Capt. Weir contributed 30. Lt.-Comdr. Abelson 28 and E.R.A. Hill 23. Goodwin captured five wickets for 30.

For the K.C.C., Brace batted brilliantly for 63, being ably supported by Goodwin (36). The home team were still 28 runs behind the Navy total when Overy (7 not out) and Hirst (11 not out) played out time. A.B. Large bore the brunt of the attack, returning the useful analysis of seven for 56. Scores:

Royal Navy

Capt. H. W. Weir, l.b.w., b Goodwin 30
Brace, b Goodwin 6 0 22 2
Lt.-Comdr. C. E. Abelson, c Brace, b Goodwin 28
Mme. F. Trusler, c Brace, b Hirst 7
Lt. A. E. Phillips, b Goodwin 7
Capt. Cornish, not out 19
Lt.-Comdr. F. S. W. de Winton, l.b.w., b Goodwin 2
Lt.-Comdr. D. N. C. Tufnell, c Brace, b Goodwin 2
Lt. Camridge, c Hall, b Hirst 8
E. R. A. Hill, c Hirst, b Lee 28
Lt. J. H. Malcolm, c Jex, b Lee 7
Extras 186

Total (for 9 wkt., dec.)

A.B. Large did not bat.

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

O. M. R. W.
Brace 5 0 16 0
Ross 6 0 28 0
Goodwin 7 0 30 5
Hirst 6 1 12 2
Overy 3 0 32 0
Lee 3 0 10 2

Kowloon C.C.

O. M. R. W.
Brace 63
Large 0
G. A. V. Hall, b Large 5
F. S. W. Smith, c de Winton, b Large 6
Capt. J. R. Vedder, b Large 0
F. Goodwin, b Large 36
S. Jex, c Trusler, b Large 0
G. Lee, Phillips, b Large 4
H. Overy, not out 7
N. H. Ross, b Hill 0
J. J. Hirst, not out 12
Extras 15

Total (for 9 wkt., dec.) 148

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

O. M. R. W.
Large 18 5 56 7
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CANTON-SWATOW

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LINE TO MEET THE K.C.R.

Mr. Ma Chiu-tsun, Commissioner of Reconstruction in the Canton Government, is considering the question of constructing a railway to connect Canton and Swatow.

The important position that Swatow holds in the eastern part of Kwangtung makes it highly desirable that easy and rapid means of communication with the provincial capital should be made available, says the "Gazette."

As things are at present, travelers to Swatow have to journey to Hong Kong whence passage is taken to Swatow. This procedure necessitates the inconvenience of stopping at Hong Kong overnight to effect the change over and Hong Kong thus gains financially by such traffic.

Cost \$32,000,000

The tentative plans call for the building of a railway to link the Chuchow-Swatow Railway with the Canton-Kowloon Railway (Chinese section) making the terminal point at Cheung-muk-tau. The proposed route will touch at Waiyeung, Holung, Lukfung, Waloy, Chiyeung, Kitcheung and Chiu-on. Should this railway become a reality, not only will there be better facilities for communication with the eastern districts, but the Government will also gain in the form of increased revenues. The total length of the line is estimated to be about 630 li (about 210 miles), while the cost of construction will entail the expenditure of \$32,000,000.

[Note: Cheung-muk-tau is about 40 miles from the British frontier. At present a motor-bus service from Waichow to Cheung-muk-tau "feeds" the Kowloon-Canton Railway.]

PAPER MONEY

THE BANK OF ENGLAND'S NEW NOTES

London, Saturday. It is announced that a new Act vesting in the Bank of England the sole right to issue legal tender notes in the United Kingdom will come into operation on Nov. 22.

This is preliminary to the issue of one pound and ten shillings notes by the Bank to replace £285,000,000 Treasury notes now in circulation.

It is understood that the Bank's £1 notes will be green and the 10/- notes red.—Reuter.

AT LEMBERG

CLASH BETWEEN POLES AND UKRAINIANS

Warsaw, Saturday. 120 were injured, 6 fatally, in disturbances between Poles and Ukrainians at Lemberg, in connection with the Polish celebration of the 10th anniversary of the defense of the town against Ukrainian troops.

The situation has now been controlled. 60 Ukrainians were arrested.—Reuter.

HENDREN'S 100TH NOTABLE ACHIEVEMENT IN AUSTRALIA

M.C.C. v. VICTORIA

In the second match of the present cricket tour in Australia, the English visitors put themselves in a commanding position against Victoria, one of the strongest of the States in the Commonwealth.

This match has been distinguished by three features.

"Patsy Hendren," in his third tour down under, has had the satisfaction of scoring his hundredth century.

D. R. Jardine has signalled his inclusion by scoring a century, following his similar feat in the opening game at Perth.

Larwood, the fast bowler of whom England expects much in the attack, has "come off."

England's Lead

Cabling from Melbourne on Saturday, Reuter said:

Score at close of play to-day in the Victoria v. M.C.C. match were:

Victoria (1st innings) 164 runs.

Larwood, H. (Notts) took 7 wickets for 51 runs. W. M. Woodfull opened the innings and carried out his bat, undefeated, for 67 runs.

M.C.C. (1st innings) 486 runs.

D. R. Jardine (Surrey) made 104, after having reached three figures in the opening match at Perth. Hendren, E. (Middlesex) made 100.

Victoria (2nd innings) 135 runs for no wicket.

Play will be continued on Monday.

Hendren's century was his 100th three-figure score in first-class cricket. He thus joins the select circle—a distinguished quartette—who have reached the century a hundred times or more. These are Hobbs, J. B. (of Surrey), the late Dr. W. G. Grace (the "Grand Old Man") and Mead, C. P. (the Hampshire left-hander, who is also in the M.C.C. team).

"Patsy's" Record

Elias H. Hendren, or "Patsy" as he is called by Lord's, although only 39 years of age, had arranged to retire to become a coach in Australia but arrangements were made for him to play for England. He was a first rate cricketer before the war, while he can probably still claim to be one of the finest, if not the finest, outfielders in England.

Hendren began to play cricket as a child and he was only fifteen when he first played for the famous Turnham Green Club.

His first appearance for Middlesex was in 1909, and although he did not

keep up his early form he was almost worth his place in the county side purely on account of the runs he saved in the field. Hendren's first big score was 134* against Sussex in 1911, in which season he scored nearly a thousand runs with an average of 35.

3,000 Runs Twice

At that time C. E. Fry predicted that Hendren would one day become the Tydeley of Middlesex, a prophecy which has long been fulfilled.

Three times since the war, in 1920, 1922 and 1923, Hendren has been leading batsman of the year. Twice his aggregate has exceeded the 3,000 mark. In every season since the war, with the exception of 1919, he has scored over 2,000 runs.

Before this tour opened, he had compiled 2,925 runs in Australia.

His aggregate for 9½ seasons since the war is 24,811 runs! At the beginning of the 1923 season Hendren had 86 centuries to his credit. He scored 18 at Home and the one at Melbourne gave him the 100.

Consistency

Consistent as Hendren has been in county cricket he has been rather a disappointment in the bigger games, and although he has played in seventeen Tests against Australia, the only time he has reached three figures against them was at Lord's in 1926, when he made 172*.

He has, however, hit two centuries in Tests against the South Africans.

Hendren was a member of J.W.H.T. Douglas's side which went to Australia in 1920-21, and although he had a good record for the tour, (1,606 runs with an average of 61.76) his best score in the five Tests was 67.

He did not quite come up to expectations in 1924-25 as a member of A.E.R. Gilligan's combination, for his aggregate for the tour of 1,317 runs (average 62) included only 314 in the five Tests.

Not a Classic

In the 1926 matches in England he scored 186 runs in six innings, but was thrice not out, so had an average of 62.

He played in two of the 1921 matches in England, but in four innings only scored 17 runs, so that his figures for the four Test series against the Australians are an aggregate of 836 with an average of 83.44 for 25 innings.

Hendren is not a classic batsman by any means, but he has abundant gifts, combining with his fine hitting great patience and self-control.

He is particularly fond of the hook and the pull, and, possessing a wonderful eye, he is rarely at fault. As a fielder he is not surpassed among cricketers of the present day, and if during his third trip to Australia he does not produce his home form at the wickets, he can be counted upon to save a lot of runs in the field.

YACHT CLUB

SECOND CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE SEASON

22 BOATS TAKE PART

Twenty-two boats took part on Saturday in the second championship race of the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club season and only one failed to finish.

The course of 9.4 miles was to Lyemun Beacon (port), Kowloon Rocks (p), mark on Club line (p), Channel Rocks (starboard), finish at the Club.

The racing was very interesting. Colleen and La Linda were first and second to cross the line in the Handicap class and kept their respective positions on handicap.

Combined Class

Not so in the combined class for One Designs and Gaels. First place on corrected time was taken by Thecla, which was fifth in actual order of finish. Ailsa and Halcyon (both "scratch" yachts) were, however, able to save their time on the other five competitors and took points for second and third.

In the Hayward Heys class the seven boats to finish took positions in the order in which they completed the course, the handicaps making no difference.

In the tabulated results given below, yachts are set down in order of actually finishing the distance, but the positions gained (for points in the season's championship), based on handicap (i.e., corrected time) are put next to each name in parentheses.

Handicap Class

[Start 2.35 p.m.]

TIMES.

	Finishing	Corrected
Colleen (1st)	4.28.50	4.21.00
La Linda (2nd)	4.29.07	4.21.17
Rolla (4th)	4.31.20	4.31.20
Diana (6th)	4.34.04	4.32.30
Dorothea (3rd)	4.34.14	4.27.11
Falcon (5th)	4.41.57	4.31.46
One Design & Gael Class		
	[Start 2.40 p.m.]	
Ailsa (2nd)	4.51.34	4.51.34
Halcyon (3rd)	4.51.69	4.51.69
Daphne (5th)	4.54.44	4.54.44
Pierrette (4th)	4.57.46	4.53.51
Thecla (1st)	5.01.28	4.49.40
Gael (6th)	5.02.52	4.55.49
Viking (7th)	5.10.00	4.59.49
Joan (8th)	5.10.10	5.03.07

Heyward Heys Class

[Start 2.45 p.m.]

Wings (1st)	4.57.45	4.57.45
Boojum (2nd)	4.58.39	4.58.39
Speedwell (3rd)	4.59.18	4.59.18
Bluenose (4th)	4.59.44	4.59.44
Why Wonder?		
(5th)	5.01.43	5.01.43
Lola (6th)	5.09.04	5.02.48
Zephyr (7th)	5.09.31	5.03.16
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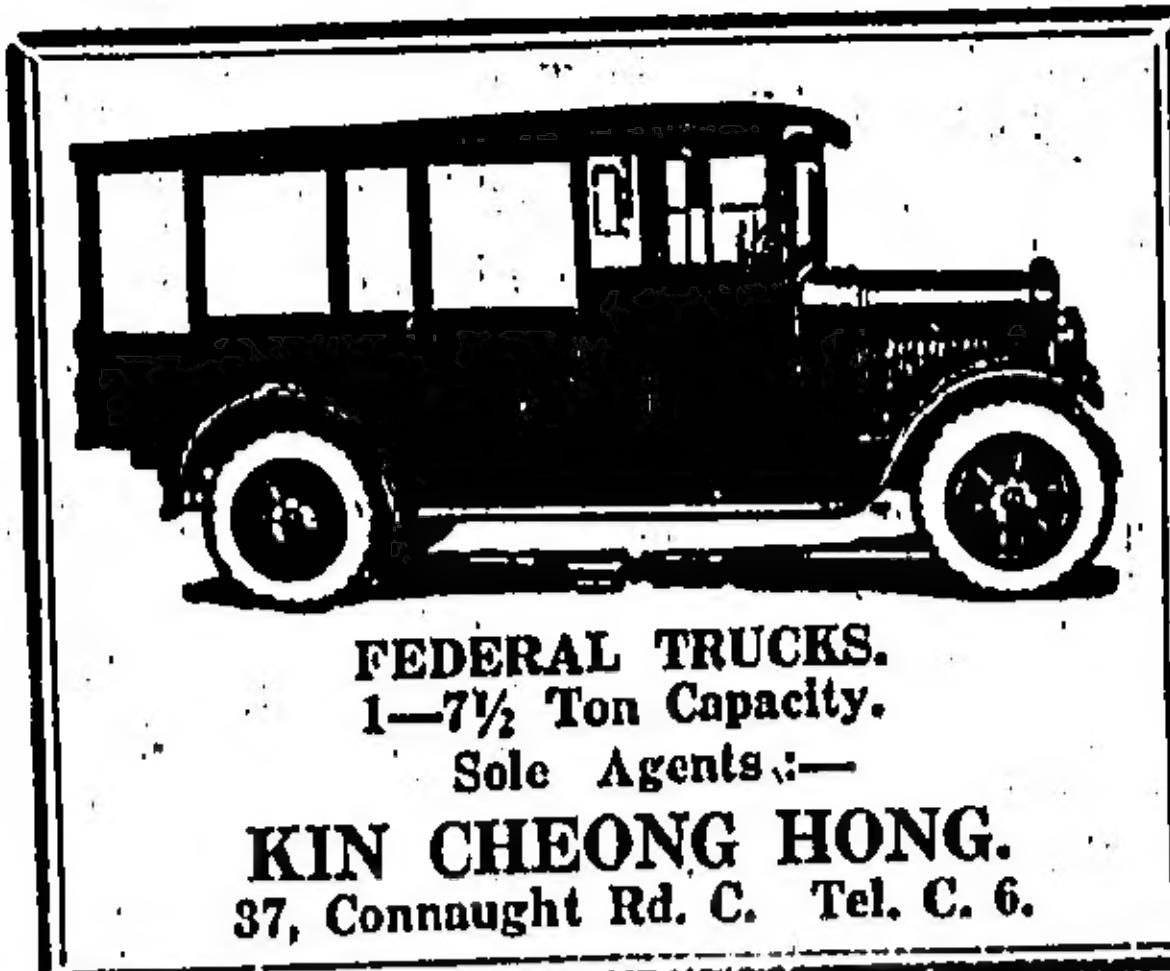
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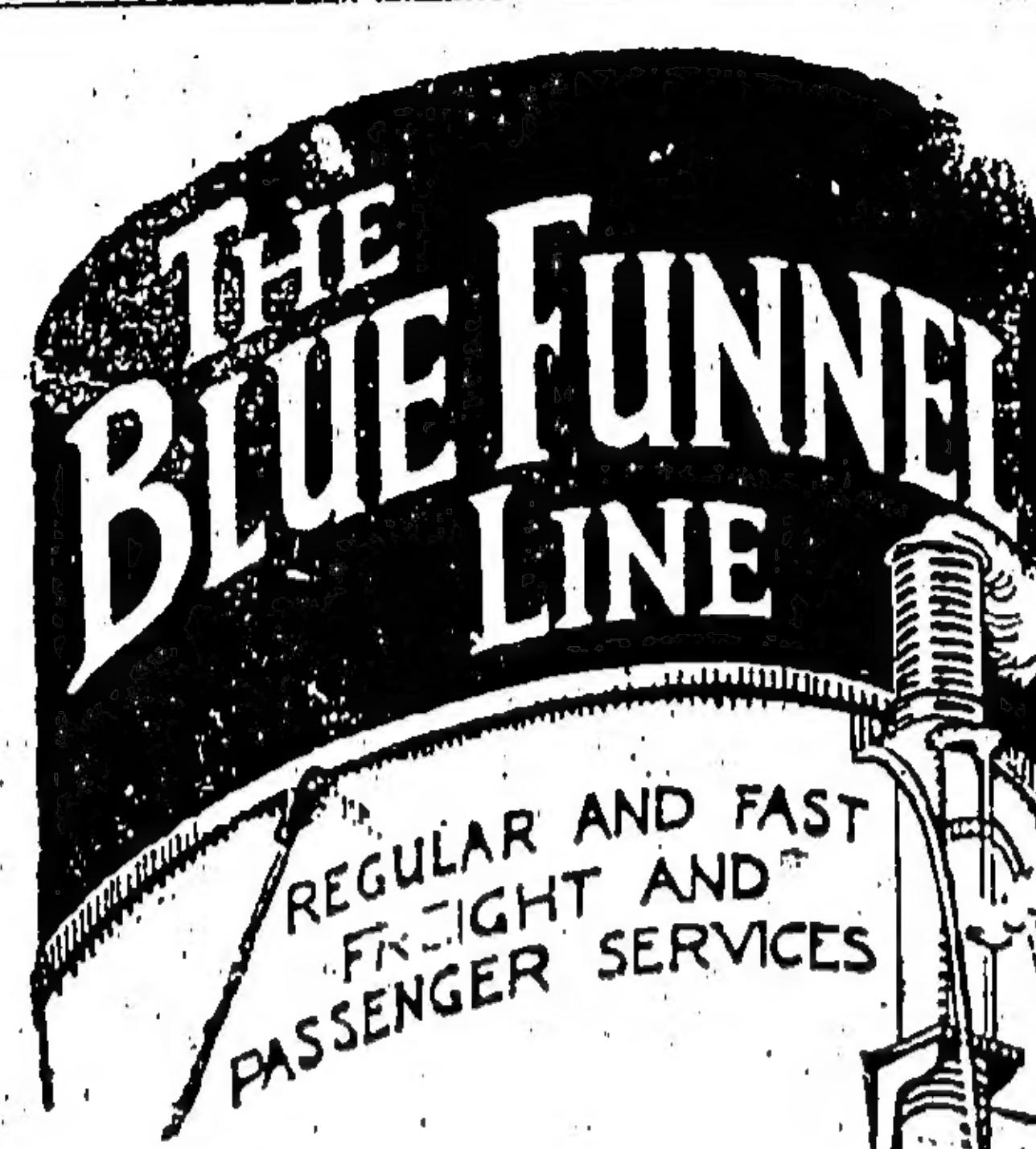
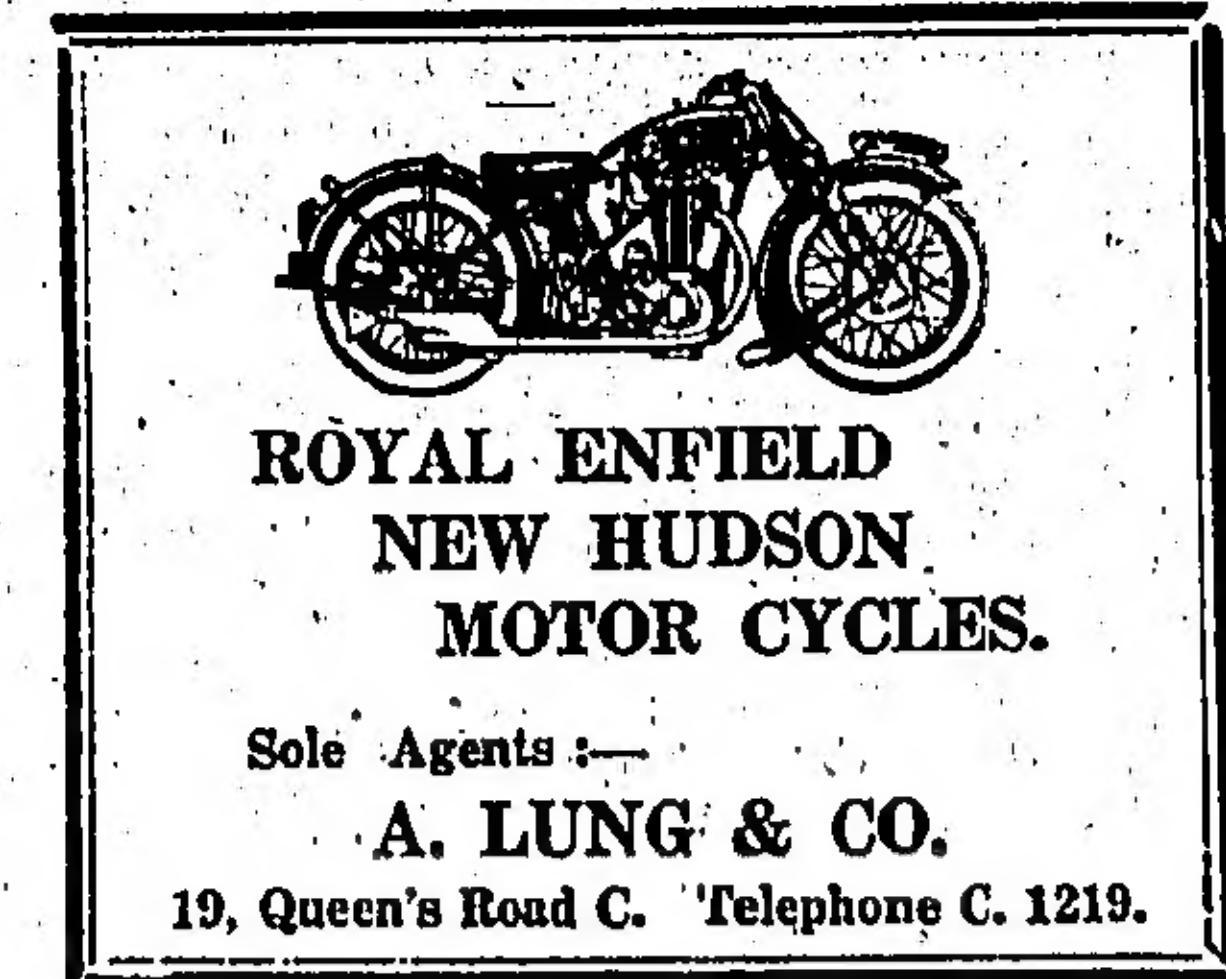
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FRENCH POLITICAL PARTIES

BIG CONGRESS

ROYALISTS AGAIN CAUSING TROUBLE

FORTY ARRESTED

Angers, Yesterday. There was further Royalist trouble here to-day on the occasion of the unveiling of a memorial by M. Daladier, Chairman of the Radical Party.

The police arrested 40 Camelots du Roi, who caused great excitement by distributing Royalist tracts.

Radical-Socialists. Unusual importance is attached to the annual congress of the Radical-Socialist party to-day, because the section is credited with scheming the downfall of the Poincaré Government. The congress will decide whether the mandate to its Ministers in the Cabinet shall continue.

All the leaders were present, including M. Herriot and three other Cabinet Ministers. The president of the party, M. Daladier, in his opening address adopted the attitude of sitting on the fence and recommended inter alia the enforcement of anti-clerical legislation and the elimination of articles 70 and 71 from the budget proposals.

He criticised the Government's foreign policy and asserted that the party should withhold its support from the Government if it was not prepared to carry out the minimum programme he outlined. In this case the Radical Ministers should retire.

Poincaré's Statement. M. Poincaré has told the Finance Commission of the Chamber that he objected to its amendments to the budget. He declared that if the budget were not passed in its present state before the end of the year, he would leave to the others the task of achieving financial restoration.—Reuter.

GEN. PANGALOS

NOW CHARGED WITH MANSLAUGHTER

SHOTS AT JEERING CROWD

Athens, Yesterday. General Pangalos, whose release was one of M. Venizelos' first acts on his reappearance in the political arena, is again in jail.

General Pangalos, who is charged with manslaughter, is accused of firing from the balcony of his political headquarters at the crowds which jeered at him on the eve of the last elections. Two of the wounded died.

Although the others arrested on the same charge were allowed bail, the council of the Court of First Instance ruled that General Pangalos be kept in prison, but it is considered that bail will eventually be allowed.—Reuter.

MEXICAN TRIAL FOR THE MURDER OF THE PRESIDENT-ELECT

San Angel, Mexico, Saturday. The trial of José de Leon Toral for murdering the President-Elect of Mexico, General Obregón, was opened close to the scene of the crime, the Mother Superior María Concepción being jointly tried on a charge of being Toral's accomplice.

The public interest has been so great that arrangements have been made to wireless and broadcast the proceedings.

Toral, examined by counsel, said the killing of Obregón was a "Mission of God." He declared that he did not know exactly what the result would bring but he was confident it would help the cause of the controversy in Mexico between the State and the Roman Catholic Church.

Allegations Against Police. Toral told the jury that, after his arrest, the police tortured him in an effort to drag from him a confession that others were implicated. The torture included suspension by his thumbs and stretching his body on an improvised rack, which he was able to endure "by the grace of God."

As he was hanging one other and, when she got up, struck the dwarfess on the jaw with her thumb slipped and he was left the dwarfess on the jaw with her hanging by the other. Later he clog. The constable said that the bigger was hung up with a rope round his chest so that he could scarcely breathe. The magistrate imposed a fine of \$1 each, and ordered both women to breathe. The police denied these allegations.—Reuter's American Service.

THE ARCHBISHOP'S FAREWELL

BIG CONGREGATION

"LISTENERS-IN" THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY

CHURCH CONTROVERSIES

London, Yesterday. The Archbishop of Canterbury delivered his farewell sermon in Canterbury Cathedral, in the presence of an immense congregation.

He covered the course at 319.5 miles per hour, and thus beat Major Bernardi's (Italy) 318½ m.p.h.

International regulations require that a new record should beat an existing one by five miles.

Greig yesterday reached 345 m.p.h. in diving.—Reuter.

RECORD BREAKING AT CALSHOT

GREIG'S SPEED

BEAT BERNARDI'S RECORD BUT MUST TRY AGAIN

WONDERFUL DIVING FEAT

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22 Minutes in The Air

A British Wireless message says: Flight Lieutenant Darcy Greig, who hopes to make an attack on the air speed record at Calshot, made a final trial flight in his Supermarine N. 220 this morning.

He remained in the air for over twenty-two minutes, and during this he reached a speed of 345 miles per hour. If the times as recorded over the course are found on examination to be satisfactory, he will apply to the Air Ministry for permission to make an attempt on the record at the first opportunity.

FURTHER DETAILS

A later wireless message says: Following upon the final trial flight in the Supermarine Napier N. 220 yesterday, the Air Ministry formally gave permission to Flight Lieutenant Darcy Greig to make an attempt on the world's seaplane record at the first favourable opportunity.

The record is now held officially by Major de Bernardi, of Italy, at 318½ m.p.h.

Yesterday Greig's speed on a dive,

before straightening out to begin the course, was slightly under 350 m.p.h.

It cannot, however, be assumed that this figure would be reached in flight under official surveillance.

In an actual record flight a pilot must not exceed a height of 1,300 feet whereas yesterday Greig was probably in the region of 2,000 feet when he began to dive. On the other hand he did not let his engine go full out.

The speed is recorded by a camera and gun timing apparatus.

Greig handled the craft superbly. His task is extremely delicate and dangerous. After yesterday's flight, his jacket was black with smoke and the wind screen was almost covered at one time by fumes.

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